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Thanks! I hadn't seen it either.

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FYI - I hadn't seen this until now.

The budget signed this week by Gov. Jerry Brown establishes an independent panel to oversee the California Department of Toxic Substances Control after a series of shortcomings in its regulation of hazardous waste operations and cleanups across the state.



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The three-person review panel will monitor the department's progress in improving its permitting, enforcement, fiscal management and public outreach and will report back to the governor and Legislature every 90 days. The members will include a community representative, a scientist with expertise in toxic materials and a local government expert.

Outside panel will oversee California's troubled toxic waste regulator 06/26/2015 Los Angeles Times Online

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Link: http://www.latimes.com/la-me-In-toxic-control-oversight-20150626-story.html